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The Usual Democratic Majorities Are Returned in Dixie.

St. Louis, Nov.—Missouri has reversed the Republican victory of 1904 and is again in the Democratic ranks by a large majority. St. Louis went Republican by a small majority. William S. Cowherd has been elected governor.

Texas.
Austin, Tex., Nov. 4.—William H. Taft did not make as good a showing in this state as President Roosevelt, who polled 51,242 votes in 1904. The vote this year is approximately as follows: Bryan, 220,000; Taft, 20,000. Thomas M. Campbell, Democrat, has been re-elected governor.

Georgia.
Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Georgia's thirteen electoral votes will be cast for William Jennings Bryan, and the state's representation will continue solidly Democratic. The state election was held in September. The Taft vote in this state fell 10,000 below that of Mr. Roosevelt.

Kentucky.
Louisville, Ky., Nov. 4.—Kentucky has gone Democratic by a large majority. The Republicans have lost two of their congressmen, giving the state now nine Democrats to two Republicans. There was no state election.

Florida.
Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 4.—Albert W. Gilchrist, Democrat, has been elected governor of Florida, and the Democratic National ticket has carried the state by a majority of 25,000, the Republican vote showing a loss of 3000 since 1904.

South Carolina.
Charleston, S. C., Nov. 4.—The Republican party polled only 2000 of the 58,000 votes in this state, running behind the figures of four years ago. M. F. Ansel has been re-elected governor without opposition.

Virginia.
Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—The Old Dominion is still safely within the Democratic ranks by a very large majority. The Republican vote shows a loss of 18,000 since 1904.

North Carolina.
Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—The Democratic national ticket has carried North Carolina by a majority of 25,000, the total vote being 210,000. W. W. Kitchin has been elected governor.

Oklahoma.
Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 4.—The seven electoral votes of the new state, the first to be cast, will go to William Jennings Bryan, who received 70,000 of the state's 125,000 votes.

Alabama.
Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 4.—Bryan 90,000; Taft, 13,000, are the election figures in this state. Mr. Taft polled 9,472 fewer votes than Mr. Roosevelt did in 1904.

Arkansas.
Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 4.—Arkansas has given Mr. Bryan a majority of 30,000, an increase of 12,436 over the vote polled by Mr. Parker in 1904.

Tennessee.
Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 4.—Tennessee is still strongly Democratic by a majority of 80,000. The Republican vote of 1904 was greatly reduced.

Mississippi.
Jackson, Miss., Nov. 4.—Mississippi's ten electoral votes will go, as usual, to the Democratic candidate. There was no state election.

Louisiana.
New Orleans, Nov. 4.—As usual, Louisiana is solidly Democratic by a very large majority. There was no gubernatorial election.

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CONNECTICUT FOR TAFT.

Carries State, but by Greatly Reduced Majority.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 4.—Despite the efforts made to place Connecticut in the Democratic column, the state has given its vote to the Republican candidate. Mr. Taft's majority, however, fell far below that of Mr. Roosevelt four years ago. In that year the Republican candidate carried the state by 38,180.

Congressman Lillie has been elected governor by 6000, despite the opposition to him on account of the submarine boat matter, and the opposition to him in his own party. Five Republican congressmen have been elected and the state legislature will be Republican.

The leaders of both parties in the state expressed great interest in the growth of the Socialist vote, which increased about 100 per cent.

HOME STATE FOR TAFT

Taft Carries Ohio, but Republican Defeated for Governor.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 4.—It seems that Taft will have slightly more than a normal plurality of close to 50,000, while Harris, Republican, for governor, is defeated. The indications are for the election of Harmon, Democrat, by over 15,000.

Minnesota Taft's by 80,000

St. Paul, Nov. 4.—The indications are that Johnson carries Ramsey county (St. Paul) by 6500 and the state ticket by at least 25,000. The returns indicate that Taft will carry Minnesota by 80,000 and the final figures may show that he has 100,000.

The vote is so close that in all probability the governorship will not be determined until the returns are all in. But using such returns as were definite it was estimated that Jacobson had nearly, if not quite, overcome the 73,000 Johnson plurality of two years ago.

HITCKCOCK'S KEEN FORESIGHT

Taft Sends Congratulatory Message to National Chairman.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Judge Taft sent the following telegram to Chairman Hitchcock:

"I am delighted to hear the favorable returns from all parts of the country, especially New York, and I wish to express my gratitude to you for the work which you have done and felicitate you on the accuracy with which you foretold the result, indicating a clear grasp and wonderful political knowledge of the situation. WILLIAM H. TAFT."

Indiana Goes Republican.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 4.—The endeavors of the Democrats to place Indiana in the ranks of their party, causing the state to be considered doubtful some time before the election, have not been successful. The Hoosier vote has been given to Taft and Sherman by a majority of 15,000, greatly reducing the Republican majority of four years ago.

This city disappointed the hopes of John W. Kern, Democratic candidate for the Vice-Presidency, who resides here. Mr. Kern would not discuss the result of the election, saying that he would issue a formal statement later.

Cincinnati Crowd Cheers Taft.

Cincinnati, Nov. 4.—Mr. Taft received the returns at the home of his brother, Charles P. Taft. When his success at the polls was announced the house was surrounded by a cheering crowd calling for a speech from "the next President." Mr. Taft announced that he would make a formal statement in the near future.

Stubbs Victorious in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 4.—Returns from Kansas indicate a complete Republican victory for W. R. Stubbs, Republican, for governor, running slightly behind Taft. Chairman O'Dooley claims the state will go over 25,000 majority.

Carries Idaho by 20,000.

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 4.—Meager reports showing only the trend of the voting indicate Taft has carried the state by 20,000 and the election of the entire Republican state ticket.

Utah for Taft by 20,000.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 4.—Forty-five election districts in Salt Lake City and county and in Ogden give Taft 12,224; Bryan, 8720. Taft has probably carried the state by 20,000 plurality.

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NEBRASKA FOR BRYAN

Bryan Carries Own State and City by Decisive Vote.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—Nebraska probably has gone Democratic by a decisive plurality, with not enough returns on governor on which to make an estimate. Bryan has made slight gains in country precincts and in the cities the Democratic gain is heavy. Bryan carried Lincoln by 600, overturning a normal Republican plurality of 1600.

Omaha, Nov. 4.—Omaha complete gives Bryan 10,732; Taft, 10,609. Sheilenberger, Democrat, for Governor, 10,913; Sheldon, Republican, 9875.

Fairview, Lincoln, Nov. 4.—Bryan carried his precinct, 106 to 52 for Taft.

Bryan Hears Returns.

Fairview, Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 4.—William J. Bryan received the earliest election bulletins in his private office at Fairview, in company with Mrs. Bryan and Private Secretary Rose. His two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Leavitt and Miss Grace Bryan, and his son, William Jr., were on the front porch, where a battery of telegraph instruments and operators took care of the returns. Governor W. S. Jennings, of Florida, a cousin of Mr. Bryan, was a member of the group. A small group of friends and newspaper men were present.

Mr. Bryan joined the porch party after a time and heard the figures read as they were taken from the wires. He scanned the New York returns closely, and the failure of the greater city to give him a larger majority was plainly disappointing to the candidate.

"I do not desire to discuss the result of the election at the present time," said Mr. Bryan after the returns were received here. "At a later date I shall probably have something to say, but now I must beg to be excused."

Democrats Carry Montana.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 4.—Returns in Montana outside Silver Bow, where machines are used, are coming in slowly but indications point to a complete victory for the Democratic state ticket and election of Democratic Presidential electors. In Missoula three precincts, which four years ago were heavily Republican, gave Bryan a plurality of 25 per cent.

Delaware Goes Republican.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 4.—Delaware, considered doubtful before the election, has gone Republican, giving three electoral votes to Taft. Simeon S. Pennewill, Republican, will be the new governor.

COAST IS REPUBLICAN

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haps one or two more from counties yet to be heard from. There is no doubt whatever that Wesley Jones will be elected to the United States Senate next January to succeed Levi Aiken.

Following in the state ticket: Governor—S. G. Cosgrove. Lieutenant-Governor—M. E. Pay. Secretary State—Sam P. Nichols. State Treasurer—John G. Lewis. State Auditor—C. W. Clausen. Attorney-General—W. P. Bell. Commissioner of Public Lands—E. W. Ross.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—Henry B. Dewey. Insurance Commissioner—John H. Schively.

King county's plurality for Taft is estimated on the basis of the returns now in at 14,000; Spokane county's at 8000; Pierce county's at between 5000 and 6000, and the remainder of the counties, 37 in all, in proportion. The state ticket falls but little below the Taft vote. County tickets generally are Republican. Here and there a few Democrat officials have got in in some of the Eastern Washington counties, but they are exceptions.

It is estimated that at least 185,000 votes were cast in the state. The Democrats made the chief showing on Bryan. The Socialists cast approximately 12,000 votes, as nearly as can be determined with returns which show only about 46 per cent of the vote cast. The Prohibitionists made their usual showing and polled probably about 3500 votes.

In the Northwest, San Juan, with her 850 votes, cast two-thirds of them for the Republican ticket. Island county gave the ticket through just about the same majority. Whatcom gives the ticket an estimated majority of 3000, although in places on her county ticket, notably sheriff, there has been cutting. Skagit gives more than 1000 majority for Taft and the straight Republican ticket. Snohomish is Republican by from 700 to 1200. Jefferson shows a Republican majority of 400 at least. Clallam and Kitsap show a landslide for the ticket, save for the fact that the joint senator was cut heavily in Kitsap county.

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